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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

(Attorney Docket No. 01-1693-O)

(previously 13615.25USU4)

In Application of:

Beck et al.

Serial No.: 09/896,139

Filed: June 29, 2001

For: Compounds to Treat Alzheimer's Disease

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Before the Examiner:  
Richard L. Raymond  
Art Unit: 1624  
Confirmation No.: 5466

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

In regard to the above identified application:

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- a. Petition for Two Month Extension of Time;
- b. Response to the Office Action Mailed November 24, 2003;
- c. Information Disclosure Statement including 3 references;
- d. Form PTO 1449; and
- e. Postcard.

2. With respect to additional fees:

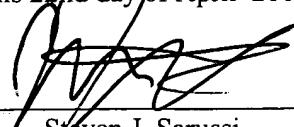
A. Attached is a check in the amount of \$600.00.

B. Charge the total additional fee to our Deposit Account No. 13-2490

3. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2490. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

4. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper, as described in paragraph 1 herein-above, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450 on this 22nd day of April 2004.

Date: April 22, 2004

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